

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

1. (Currently Amended) Method for monitoring media session flow in a telecommunication network comprising a media-handling node (~~MHN~~) through which, sessions between subscribers are transported via first ports (~~P11-P15~~) and second ports (~~P01-P05~~) characterised by comprising the following steps:

assigning an extra port (~~XP1-XP5~~) to the media-handling node (~~MHN~~) for each new session that is transported through the node; ~~which method comprises the following further steps:~~

storing in a database (~~LI-DB~~), identification of a first subscriber (~~A~~) for which monitoring is desired;

setting up a connection between the first subscriber (~~A~~) and a second subscriber (~~B~~);

assigning an extra port (~~XP1~~) that is adherent to the session between the first and second subscriber (~~A, B~~);

connecting the assigned extra port (~~XP1~~) that is adherent to the session between the first and second subscriber (~~A, B~~);

monitoring the session between the first and second subscriber via the connected extra port (~~XP1~~).

2. (Currently Amended) ~~Method for monitoring media session flow in a telecommunication network~~ The method according to claim 1, further comprising the step of ~~which method comprises the following further step:~~

sending an indicator (~~FLAG~~) from the database (~~LI-DB~~) indication that the extra port(~~XP1~~) is to be connected.

3. (Currently Amended) ~~Method for monitoring media session flow in a telecommunication network~~ The method according to claim 2 whereby the indicator (FLAG) is sent from the database (LI-DB) to the media-handling node (MHN).

4. (Currently Amended) ~~Method for monitoring media session flow in a telecommunication network~~ The method according to claim 1, further comprising the step of any of claim 1 to 3, which method comprises the following further step:

setting up a three-part conference between the two involved subscribers (A and B) and a monitoring facility (LEMF).

5. (Currently Amended) An arrangement ~~Arrangement~~ to monitor media session flow in a telecommunication network comprising a media-handling node (MHN) through which, sessions between subscribers are transported via first ports (P11-P15) and second ports comprising: (P01-P05) characterised by

means for assigning an extra port (XP1-XP5) to the media handling node (MHN) for each new session that is transported through the node;

means for storing in a database (LI-DB), identification of a first subscriber (A) for which monitoring is desired;

means for setting up a connection between the first subscriber (A) and a second subscriber (B);

means for connect an assigned extra port (XP1) that is adherent to the session between the first and second subscriber (A, B);

means for monitoring the session between the first and second subscriber via the connected extra port (XP1).

6. (Currently Amended) ~~Arrangement to monitor media session flow in a telecommunication network~~ The arrangement according to claim 5 further comprising means for sending an indicator (FLAG) from the database (LI-DB) indication that the extra port(XP1) is to be connected.

7. (Currently Amended) ~~Arrangement to monitor media session flow in a telecommunication network~~ The arrangement according to claim 5 ~~or 6~~ further comprising means for setting up a three-part conference between the two involved subscribers (~~A and B~~) and a monitoring facility (~~LEMF~~).